
2020-2021 Dominican Re-Entry Scholarship Application

Student Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	Dominican ID or SSN
Street Address	City	State	Zip
			Phone or Cell Phone Number

Dominican University of California receives generous support from donors to be able to provide scholarships to students who need additional support in meeting their educational expenses. This application assists the University with selecting the recipients for two of those scholarships - the Crankstart Re-Entry Scholarship and the Osher Re-Entry Scholarship. Students will be selected based on financial need and a typed personal essay. These scholarships are awarded up and above any need and merit grants you would otherwise be eligible for. Scholarships will be awarded to qualified applicants on a first come, first served basis until all of the funds have been awarded.

The Crankstart Foundation scholarship has been set up for the purpose of assisting re-entry students who have had an interruption of five or more years in obtaining their first Bachelor's Degree. This scholarship is open to Adult Completion (ADC) students. The Crankstart Foundation, headquartered in San Francisco, seeks to improve the quality of life through support for higher education and the arts.

The Bernard Osher Foundation also assists students who have had an interruption of five or more years in obtaining their first Bachelor's Degree. This scholarship is open to Adult Completion (ADC) students as well as Transfer students pursuing the Combined Liberal Studies Bachelors/Credential.

Section 1: Requirements

_____	I have applied and been admitted to Dominican University of California or I am a current student
Initial	
_____	I have had an interruption in my educational pursuits of five or more years
Initial	
_____	I understand that I am required to maintain a minimum part-time (6 units per semester) enrollment (For Crankstart Only)
Initial	
_____	I have completed my 2020-2021 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and the Dominican Financial Aid Application (For Crankstart Only)
Initial	

Section 2: Personal Statement

_____	Attach a typed, one page maximum, personal essay explaining why you had an interruption in your education and why resuming your undergraduate education is so important to you. Highlight on any challenges and/or hardships you have endured as well as any academic qualifications, achievements, and the commitment you have to obtaining your degree.
Initial	

Section 3: Academic Information

- What Major do you plan on/are you pursuing at Dominican University of California?

- My anticipated graduation date is: _____

STUDENT CERTIFICATION

I understand that, if I am selected as a Crankstart or Osher Re-Entry Scholar, I am agreeing to have my application information shared with The Crankstart Foundation/Osher Foundation and the Office of Advancement at Dominican University of California. I understand that all scholarship funds will be used to cover tuition charges at Dominican University of California only and that if my enrollment changes for any reason, my scholarship eligibility could change.

Student Signature	Date
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Once completed, please return this form and your essay to the Office of Financial Aid.

If you have any questions, please contact the Office of Financial Aid.